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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231
Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action, made final, mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 6, 1996. Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action.

A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently. An unexecuted Second Declaration of Dr. Harriet L. Robinson under 37 C.F.R. 1.132, as well as an executed Declaration of Dr. William S. Rosenberg under 37 C.F.R. 1.132, are also being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

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